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IN RE APPLICATION: Takahiro FUKUHARA, et al.

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EXAMINER:

FOR: PICTURE ENCODING APPARATUS AND METHOD, PROGRAM AND RECORDING  
MEDIUM

**LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted  
herewith:

☒ 22 Replacement Drawing Sheets ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ New Drawing Sheets

☐ Official Action dated \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Other Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 2, 2004

The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

The replacement drawing sheets are submitted to meet the Patent and Trademark Office  
requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

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